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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Notice of Opposition

Notice is hereby given that the following party opposes registration of the indicated application.

Opposer Information

Name	Seven For All Mankind, LLC
Granted to Date of previous extension	06/15/2016
Address	4440 E. 26th Street Vernon, CA 90058 UNITED STATES

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Applicant Information

Application No	86762250	Publication date	02/16/2016
Opposition Filing Date	06/14/2016	Opposition Peri- od Ends	06/15/2016
Applicant	DOPE AND DAPPER 5985 UNIVERSITY AVE SAN DIEGO, CA 92115 UNITED STATES		

Goods/Services Affected by Opposition

Class 025. First Use: 0 First Use In Commerce: 0

All goods and services in the class are opposed, namely: Athletic shorts; Baseball caps and hats; Bermuda shorts; Board shorts; Bomber jackets; Boxer shorts; Denims; Dress pants; Headwear; Men's dress socks; Men's socks; Sweaters; T-shirts

Grounds for Opposition

Priority and likelihood of confusion	Trademark Act Section 2(d)
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Mark Cited by Opposer as Basis for Opposition

U.S. Registration No.	2927764	Application Date	04/16/2003
Registration Date	02/22/2005	Foreign Priority Date	NONE
Word Mark	NONE		

Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 025. First use: First Use: 2002/12/00 First Use In Commerce: 2002/12/00 clothing, namely, pants [, shorts, jackets and skirts]

Attachments	78238552#TMSN.png(bytes) 06-14-2016 Notice of Opposition - SFAM v. Dope and Dapper.pdf(874677 bytes
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Certificate of Service

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of this paper has been served upon all parties, at their address record by First Class Mail on this date.

Signature	/Paul J. Kennedy/
Name	Paul J. Kennedy
Date	06/14/2016

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SEVEN FOR ALL MANKIND, LLC

v.

Opposition No.

Opposer

Mark: V and Design

Application Serial No. 86/762250

Published in Official Gazette: February 16, 2016

DOPE AND DAPPER LLC

Filed: September 20, 2015

Applicant

NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

United States Patent and Trademark Office Trademark Trial and Appeal Board P.O. Box 1451 Alexandria, VA 22313-1451

Dear Sir/Madam:

Seven For All Mankind, LLC, a California limited liability company, with offices at 4440 East 26th Street, Vernon, California 90058 ("Opposer"), believes it will be damaged by the issuance of a trademark registration to Dope and Dapper LLC, a California limited liability company, with an address at 5985 University Avenue, San Diego, California 92115 ("Applicant"), for the mark V and Design (Serial No. 86/762250) in International Class 25, and hereby opposes the application.

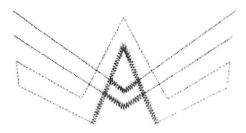
As grounds for the opposition, Opposer alleges that:

1. Applicant is seeking to obtain, under the provisions of the Trademark Act of 1946, as amended, registration on the Principal Register of the mark V and Design (Serial No. 86/762250) ("Applicant's Mark") for "athletic shorts; baseball caps and hats; Bermuda shorts; board shorts; bomber jackets; boxer shorts; denims; dress pants; headwear; men's dress socks; men's socks; sweaters; t-shirts" in International Class 25.

2. Applicant's mark is described as three horizontal lines connected with an upside down letter "V" to three more horizontal lines, as reflected below:



- 3. Applicant is not now, and never was, entitled to registration on the Principal Register of Applicant's Mark, either on September 20, 2015, the date of Applicant's filing of the intent-to-use based application, or on February 16, 2016, the date of publication in the *Official Gazette*.
- 4. Opposer is the owner of the federal trademark registration (Reg. No. 2927764) for the trademark design for "clothing, namely pants" in International Class 25, as reflected below, and has used the mark since at least as early as December 2002:



("Opposer's Mark"). A true and correct copy of Opposer's Mark from the TSDR report is attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

5. Opposer has, since long prior to the filing date of Applicant's application, sold in commerce in the United States its products using Opposer's Mark. Through usage by Opposer, Opposer's Mark has become well-known to customers and potential customers as a trademark of Opposer, and as an origin and source of the goods sold and provided by Opposer.

6. The design of Applicant's Mark is nearly identical to that of Opposer's Mark. Both marks contain a dominant peak, or upside "V" as described by Applicant. Both marks contain three horizontal lines emanating from this center peak. Because Applicant is offering for sale various items of apparel in the same classification as Opposer, Applicant's Mark is likely to cause confusion, mistake, or deception amongst the general and consuming public as to whether Applicant's goods are being offered by, or in affiliation with, Opposer causing damage to Opposer.

7. Accordingly, Opposer requests that registration of Applicant's Mark (Serial No. 86/762250) be denied to Applicant and this opposition be sustained.

Respectfully submitted,

DATE: June 14, 2016

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Attorneys for Opposer, Seven For All Mankind, LLC

EXHIBIT "A"

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Mark:



US Serial Number: 78238552

Application Filing Apr. 16, 2003

Date:

US Registration 2927764

Number:

Registration Date: Feb. 22, 2005

Register: Principal

Mark Type: Trademark

Status: The registration has been renewed.

Status Date: Feb. 07, 2015 Publication Date: Jun. 22, 2004

Mark Information

Mark Literal None

Elements:

Standard Character No

Claim:

Mark Drawing 2 - AN ILLUSTRATION DRAWING WITHOUT ANY WORDS(S)/ LETTER(S)/NUMBER(S)

Type:

Color(s) Claimed: Color is not claimed as a feature of the mark.

Lining and The stippling shown in the drawing is a feature of the mark and is not intended to indicate color.

Stippling Statement:

Design Search 26.17.12 - Chevrons; Angles (geometric)

Code(s):

Goods and Services

Note: The following symbols indicate that the registrant/owner has amended the goods/services.

• Brackets [..] indicate deleted goods/services;

. Double parenthesis ((...)) identify any goods/services not claimed in a Section 15 affidavit of incontestability; and

Asterisks *..* identify additional (new) wording in the goods/services.

For: clothing, namely, pants [, shorts, jackets and skirts]

International 025 - Primary Class

U.S Class(es): 022, 039

Class(es):

Class Status: ACTIVE

Basis: 1(a)

First Use: Dec. 2002

Use in Commerce: Dec. 2002

Basis Information (Case Level)

 Filed Use:
 Yes
 Currently Use:
 Yes
 Amended Use:
 No

 Filed ITU:
 No
 Currently ITU:
 No
 Amended ITU:
 No

 Filed 44D:
 No
 Currently 44D:
 No
 Amended 44D:
 No

 Filed 44E:
 No
 Currently 44E:
 No
 Amended 44E:
 No

Filed 66A: No Currently 66A: No Currently No Basis: No Currently No Basis: No

Current Owner(s) Information

Owner Name: Seven For All Mankind, LLC

Owner Address: 4440 East 26th Street

Vernon, CALIFORNIA 90058

UNITED STATES

Legal Entity Type: LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

State or Country CALIFORNIA Where Organized:

Attorney/Correspondence Information

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Attorney Email Yes Authorized:

Correspondent

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Prosecution History

Date	Description	Proceeding Number
Feb. 07, 2015	NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF SEC. 8 & 9 - E-MAILED	
Feb. 07, 2015	REGISTERED AND RENEWED (FIRST RENEWAL - 10 YRS)	76985
Feb. 07, 2015	REGISTERED - SEC. 8 (10-YR) ACCEPTED/SEC. 9 GRANTED	76985
Feb. 07, 2015	CASE ASSIGNED TO POST REGISTRATION PARALEGAL	76985
Jan. 26, 2015	TEAS SECTION 8 & 9 RECEIVED	
Jan. 20, 2015	ATTORNEY REVOKED AND/OR APPOINTED	
Jan. 20, 2015	TEAS REVOKE/APPOINT ATTORNEY RECEIVED	
Mar. 12, 2011	REGISTERED - SEC. 8 (6-YR) ACCEPTED & SEC. 15 ACK.	67723
Mar. 11, 2011	CASE ASSIGNED TO POST REGISTRATION PARALEGAL	67723
Feb. 18, 2011	TEAS SECTION 8 & 15 RECEIVED	
Feb. 08, 2011	ATTORNEY REVOKED AND/OR APPOINTED	
Feb. 08, 2011	TEAS REVOKE/APPOINT ATTORNEY RECEIVED	
Mar. 23, 2009	REVIEW OF CORRESPONDENCE COMPLETE	76293
Dec. 19, 2008	PAPER RECEIVED	
May 21, 2008	NOTICE OF SUIT	
Nov. 28, 2007	ASSIGNMENT OF OWNERSHIP NOT UPDATED AUTOMATICALLY	
Nov. 16, 2007	ASSIGNMENT OF OWNERSHIP NOT UPDATED AUTOMATICALLY	
Nov. 29, 2006	ASSIGNMENT OF OWNERSHIP NOT UPDATED AUTOMATICALLY	
Feb. 22, 2005	REGISTERED-PRINCIPAL REGISTER	
Sep. 21, 2004	EXTENSION OF TIME TO OPPOSE PROCESS - TERMINATED	
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Jun. 22, 2004	PUBLISHED FOR OPPOSITION	
Jun. 02, 2004	NOTICE OF PUBLICATION	
Apr. 16, 2004	APPROVED FOR PUB - PRINCIPAL REGISTER	
Mar. 30, 2004	CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED IN LAW OFFICE	
Mar. 30, 2004	PAPER RECEIVED	
Oct. 31, 2003	NON-FINAL ACTION MAILED	
Oct. 30, 2003	ASSIGNED TO EXAMINER	76840

Maintenance Filings or Post Registration Information

Affidavit of Section 8 - Accepted

Continued Use:

Affidavit of Section 15 - Accepted

Incontestability:

Renewal Date: Feb. 22, 2015

TM Staff and Location Information

TM Staff Information - None

File Location

Current Location: GENERIC WEB UPDATE

Date in Location: Feb. 07, 2015

Assignment Abstract Of Title Information

Summary

Total Assignments: 11

Registrant: L'Koral, Inc.

Assignment 1 of 11

Conveyance: SECURITY INTEREST

Reel/Frame: 3005/0102

Pages: 11

Date Recorded: Jan. 10, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3005-0102.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: L'KORAL INCORPORATED Execution Date: Dec. 30, 2004

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION State or Country CALIFORNIA

Where Organized:

Assignee

Name: AVENUE SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUND III, LP, AS ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT

Legal Entity Type: LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

State or Country DELAWARE

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Assignment 2 of 11

Conveyance: GRANT OF SECURITY INTEREST

Reel/Frame: 3056/0042

Pages: 25

Date Recorded: Feb. 14, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3056-0042.pdf

Documents:

Name: L'KORAL INCORPOATED

Execution Date: Dec. 30, 2004

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION Where Organized:

State or Country CALIFORNIA

Assignee

Name: THE CIT GROUP/COMMERCIAL SERVICES INC.

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION

State or Country NEW YORK

Where Organized:

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Assignment 3 of 11

Conveyance: ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST

Reel/Frame: 3135/0322

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION

Date Recorded: Feb. 28, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3135-0322.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: L'KORAL, INC.

Execution Date: Feb. 11, 2005 State or Country CALIFORNIA

Pages: 5

Where Organized:

Assignee

Name: SEVEN FOR ALL MANKIND

Legal Entity Type: DELAWARE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

State or Country No Place Where Organized Found

Where Organized:

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Assignment 4 of 11

Conveyance: ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST

Reel/Frame: 3086/0826

Pages: 5

Date Recorded: May 09, 2005

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION

Supporting assignment-tm-3086-0826.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: L'KORAL, INC.

Execution Date: Feb. 24, 2005

State or Country CALIFORNIA

Where Organized:

Assignee

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Assignment 5 of 11

Conveyance: RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST

Reel/Frame: <u>3041/0274</u>

Pages: 8

Date Recorded: Mar. 08, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3041-0274.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: AVENUE SPECIAL SITUATIONS FUND III, LP,

AS ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT

Execution Date: Mar. 02, 2005

State or Country DELAWARE Where Organized:

Assignee

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Legal Entity Type: LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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Assignment 6 of 11

Conveyance: RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST

Reel/Frame: <u>3047/0476</u>

Pages: 6

Date Recorded: Mar. 16, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3047-0476.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: THE CIT GROUP/COMMERCIAL SERVICES,

INC.

Execution Date: Mar. 02, 2005

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION State o

State or Country NEW YORK Where Organized:

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Assignee

Name: SEVEN FOR ALL MANKIND, LLC

Legal Entity Type: LLC

State or Country DELAWARE

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Assignment 7 of 11

Conveyance: ASSIGNS THE ENTIRE INTEREST

Reel/Frame: <u>3039/0831</u>

Pages: 8

Date Recorded: Mar. 07, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3039-0831.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: SEVEN FOR ALL MANKIND, LLC

Execution Date: Mar. 04, 2005

Legal Entity Type: LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

State or Country DELAWARE

Where Organized:

Assignee

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Legal Entity Type: LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

State or Country DELAWARE

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Assignment 8 of 11

Conveyance: SHORT FORM OF TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

Reel/Frame: 3046/0148

Pages: 6

Date Recorded: Mar. 14, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3046-0148.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: SEVEN FOR ALL MANKIND, LLC

Execution Date: Mar. 04, 2005

Legal Entity Type: LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

State or Country DELAWARE

Where Organized:

Assignee

Name: CONGRESS FINANCIAL COPORATION (WESTERN)

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION

State or Country CALIFORNIA

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Conveyance: CORRECTIVE SECURITY INTEREST OF REEL 003039 FRAME 0831

Reel/Frame: 3047/0465

Pages: 8

Date Recorded: Mar. 16, 2005

Supporting assignment-tm-3047-0465.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: SEVEN FOR ALL MANKIND, LLC

Execution Date: Mar. 04, 2005

Legal Entity Type: LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

State or Country DELAWARE

Where Organized:

Assignee

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Assignment 10 of 11

Conveyance: RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST

Reel/Frame: 3656/0977

Pages: 8

Date Recorded: Nov. 05, 2007

Legal Entity Type: CORPORATION

Supporting assignment-tm-3656-0977.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: WACHOVIA CAPITAL FINANCE CORPORATION

Execution Date: Aug. 31, 2007

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State or Country CALIFORNIA

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Assignment 11 of 11

Conveyance: RELEASE OF SECURITY INTEREST

Reel/Frame: 3667/0145

Pages: 9

Date Recorded: Nov. 05, 2007

Supporting assignment-tm-3667-0145.pdf

Documents:

Assignor

Name: ABLECO FINANCE LLC

Execution Date: Aug. 31, 2007

Legal Entity Type: LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

State or Country DELAWARE

Where Organized:

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Proceedings

Summary

Number of 1 Proceedings:

Type of Proceeding: Extension of Time

Proceeding 78238552 Number:

Filing Date: Jul 15, 2004

Status: Terminated

Status Date: Sep 21, 2004

Interlocutory Attorney:

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Correspondent JANE SHAY WALD Address: IRELL & MANELLA LLP

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Associated marks

Mark

Application Status

Serial Number

Registration Number

Renewed

78238552

2927764

Potential Opposer(s)

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Prosecution History

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History Text

Date

Due Date

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EXTENSION OF TIME GRANTED

Jul 15, 2004

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Paul J. Kennedy, hereby certify that on June 14, 2016, a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of Opposition was served via electronic mail (odaymia@dopeanddapper.com) and U.S. First Class Mail, postage prepaid, upon the following:

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